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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY TO ALTER FOUR CROSSINGS OF THE UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD IN THE CITY OF MARICOPA, PINL COUNTY, ARIZONA, AT MARICOPA ROAD/STATE ROUTE 347, PORTER, WHITE & PARKER, AND

NOTICE OF FILING FULLY **EXECUTED AGREEMENT** BETWEEN AK-CHIN TOWN OF

MARANA

AND UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD

COMPANY

Applicant Union Pacific Railroad Company ("Union Pacific") hereby gives notice that the Ak-Chin Indian Community and Union Pacific have entered into a Consultation Agreement dated October 26, 2009, a fully executed copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A. Union Pacific is filing a copy of the Consultation Agreement within 30 days of its execution, as ordered by the Commission in its Opinion and Order dated May 21, 2009, Decision No. 71065, page 21.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 5th day of November, 2009.

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6	COPY of the foregoing hand-delivered this 5 th day of November, 2009, to:
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EXHIBIT "A"

CONSULTATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE AK-CHIN INDIAN COMMUNITY AND THE UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD

"This Agreement, dated October 26, 2009 is to establish a process that will ensure meaningful and timely communication, discussion and consultation between the Union Pacific Railroad ("UP") and the Ak-Chin Indian Community ("Community") regarding any activities of UP, other than routine maintenance as hereinafter defined, which are within any right-of-way that UP may have within Community lands, or which may reasonably be expected to affect highway traffic or other developments on the Ak-Chin Indian Community. "Routine maintenance," as used in the preceding sentence, shall mean repair or replacement of structures in existence or under construction at the time this Agreement is signed, but shall not include construction of any new tracks. Examples of "routine maintenance" include repair or replacement of existing ties, rails, signals, bridges, drainage structures, ballast and other existing railroad infrastructure-supporting materials, and trimming and removal of vegetation on or near UP's right-of-way."

UP will provide at least thirty (30) days written notice to the Community of any UP activity that may reasonably be expected to affect the Community. The parties shall then meet and confer on such activity.

It is UP's intent that any double-track construction process through the Community will only occur pursuant to a valid right-of-way, and there will not be any construction activity, mobilization, or interference within the Community, except in a valid right-of-way. If Community lands outside of UP's existing right-of-way are involved, UP will obtain the appropriate permits from the Community.

Ak-Chin Indian Community claims cultural affinity with the area adjacent to the Reservation which was once inhabited by the ancestors of the members of the Ak-Chin Indian Community, and with any cultural artifacts or remains that may be within this adjacent area as well as the area within the Reservation itself. If in the course of UP construction, such cultural artifacts or remains are discovered, UP will immediately cease construction and call the Ak-Chin Cultural Resources Office at the address and phone number listed below. If any human remains are discovered in the course of such construction, UP and Ak-Chin will sign a burial agreement in the form applicable to such remains developed by the Arizona State Museum, a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof.

The parties agree that this Consultation Agreement shall remain in full force and effect for a period of five (5) years from the date of execution thereof, and may be renewed by the parties at the expiration of the five year period. The parties agree that prior to the

expiration of this Consulting Agreement, they will meet and discuss the execution of a replacement Agreement which shall include any and all provisions contained herein and additional provisions as may be negotiated between the parties.

By virtue of this Agreement, the parties designate the following persons to receive all notices and communications:

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Ak-Chin Indian Community Chairman, Community Council 42507 W. Peters & Nall Rd. Maricopa, Arizona 85238 (520) 568-1000

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